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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Quintens, et al.

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AFTER FINAL RESPONSE TO AN OFFICE COMMUNICATION
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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sirs:

The following amendments and remarks are submitted in response to the final Official Action mailed 11/18/2002. This response places the application in condition for allowance. Alternatively, this response places the application in between condition for appeal.

This response is being sent within two-months of the mailing date of the Official Action.

No fee is due.

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Claim Amendments

Claims 1, 5, 9 and 10 are amended as indicated in Appendix A.

Claims 1, 5, 9 and 10, as amended, are provided in unmarked form in Appendix B.

I hereby certify that this communication is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, D.C. 20231.

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